

1 RESOLUTION NO.

2 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE,
3 CALIFORNIA, DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO LEVY AN ANNUAL
4 ASSESSMENT IN THE DOWNTOWN PARKING AND BUSINESS
5 IMPROVEMENT AREA FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2016 PURSUANT TO
6 SECTION 36534 OF THE CALIFORNIA STREETS AND HIGHWAYS
7 CODE, GENERALLY DESCRIBING THE IMPROVEMENTS AND
8 ACTIVITIES TO BE UNDERTAKEN AND FIXING THE TIME AND PLACE
9 FOR A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
10 OF RIVERSIDE ON THE LEVY OF THE PROPOSED ASSESSMENT.

11 WHEREAS, the Downtown Parking and Business Improvement Area (the "Area") was
12 established by Ordinance No. 5303 on June 25, 1985, to engage in or provide for: (a) parking
13 improvements, (b) beautification, (c) promotion of public events, (d) furnishing of music to
14 public places in the area, and (e) general promotion of business activities, all of which provide
15 specific benefits directly to the businesses within the Area at a cost which does not exceed the
16 reasonable cost in conferring the benefit; and

17 WHEREAS, the Area is located in the downtown business area of the City of Riverside,
18 and is described as generally between First Street on the north, Fourteenth Street on the south,
19 past the Riverside/91 Freeway to the railroad tracks on the east, and the first tier of lots on the
20 west side of Brockton Avenue on the west, except that between Ninth Street and Sixth Street the
21 easterly boundary shall be the Riverside Water Company Canal, and also includes both sides of
22 Market Street from First Street to the 60 Freeway. The Area was approved for expansion by
23 Resolution No. 20054, on December 4, 2001, and by Resolution No. 21076, on November 22,
24 2005, and is more fully described in the legal description and plat titled "Business Improvement
25 District" which is on file in the office of the City Clerk: and

26 WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Riverside has previously ordained that each
27 business entity within the Parking and Business Improvement Area shall pay an amount equal to
28 one hundred percent (100%) of the business tax charge, as stated in Riverside Municipal Code
3.46.060; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Riverside has received and approved the
Annual Report of the Riverside Downtown Partnership (the "Report"), acting as the Advisory

1 Board of the Area; and

2 WHEREAS, the Report more fully details the improvements and activities which shall be
3 provided, as well as the proposed assessments to be levied, for the calendar year beginning
4 January 1, 2016. The Report is on file with the City Clerk.

5 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Riverside,
6 California, pursuant to Section 36534 of the California Streets & Highways Code as follows:

7 1. It is the intention of the City Council to levy and collect an annual assessment
8 within the Area for the calendar year beginning January 1, 2016, at a rate not to exceed the
9 current rate of 100% of the business tax to be paid by each business within the Area.

10 2. Notice is hereby given that the City Council will hold a public hearing on the levy
11 of the proposed assessment for the calendar year of 2016 on December 1, 2015, at the hour of
12 3:00 p.m., at the regular meeting of the City Council to be held at the regular place of meeting at
13 said time in the Council Chambers at the Riverside City Hall at 3900 Main Street in the City of
14 Riverside, California. Any protests or objections to the proposed levy of assessment may be
15 made orally or in writing by any interested person. However, the form and manner of such
16 protests or objections shall comply with Sections 36524 and 36525 of the California Streets and
17 Highways Code.

18 3. The City Clerk shall give notice of the public hearing by causing the Resolution
19 of Intention to be published once in a newspaper of general circulation in the City not less than
20 seven days before the public hearing. Further, the City shall provide notice of the public hearing
21 to each holder of a business license tax certificate within the Area by mail, postage prepaid.

22 ADOPTED by the City Council this _____ day of _____, 2015.

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25 WILLIAM R. BAILEY, III
Mayor of the City of Riverside

26 Attest:

27 _____
28 COLLEEN J. NICOL
City Clerk of the City of Riverside

1 I, Colleen J. Nicol, City Clerk of the City of Riverside, California, hereby certify that the
2 foregoing resolution was duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the City Council on the
3 _____ day of _____, 2015, by the following vote, to wit:

4 Ayes:

5 Noes:

6 Abstain:

7 Absent:

8 IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of
9 the City of Riverside, California, this _____ day of _____, 2015.

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12 COLLEEN J. NICOL
13 City Clerk of the City of Riverside
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